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PROBABILISTIC CRITICALITY PREDICTION
OF DIGITAL CIRCUITS

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I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action of February 17, 2006, please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 20 of this paper.